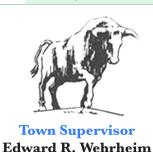
#### **TOWN OF SMITHTOWN**

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KEEP SMITHTOWN CLEAN & GREEN WITH THE RETURN TO

# **DUAL STREAM**



2019 TOWN OF SMITHTOWN REFUSE & RECYCLING CALENDAR

IMPORTANT RECYCLING PROGRAM CHANGES INSIDE

Use color-coded map on back to determine your garbage district number, pick-up days, carter and carter's telephone number.

PLEASE SAVE THIS CALENDAR TO REFER TO DURING THE YEAR

## TOWN OF SMITHTOWN



#### January 2019 A Note from Your Town Board

Attached is the Town of Smithtown Refuse & Recycling Calendar for 2019. This calendar provides information about when waste and recyclables should be put out for collection. Please note that there are major changes to our recycling program this year. International markets are requiring that materials collected for recycling be cleaner than ever, and that they be more finely separated by type than in the past. These standards require that we return to "dual stream" recycling. Paper products will need to be kept separate and put out for collection every other week, alternating with the collection of cans and bottles. Of particular importance is that no glass of any type ever be placed in your curbside recycling containers. Broken glass is difficult to separate from other recyclables. Recyclers are rejecting entire loads of mixed recyclables when there is even just a small percentage of glass present. Glass containers can be dropped off for recycling at locations throughout Town. Further information is in the attached calendar and on the Town website www.smithtownny.gov. These changes will ensure that the material put out for recycling will actually be useable in the manufacture of new products.

The calendar also provides information on how to obtain Free High Quality Mulch and how to properly dispose of such things as old paint, computers, TV's, furniture, appliances and expired prescription drugs. Of particular note are our no-charge household hazardous waste collection events on April 13<sup>st</sup> and October 19<sup>th</sup>. Improperly stored or disposed of household chemicals threaten our environment and the health of our families and friends. Thousands of people have found past events an easy way to safely clean out unwanted chemicals from their garages and basements. Please make every effort to participate.

Please look over the new calendar. We believe you will find it both informative and helpful. If you have any questions or suggestions, please let us know.

Thank you.

Edward R. Wehrheim, Town Supervisor

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Lynne C. Nowick Councilwoman

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#### GLASS RECYCLING DROP-OFF AREAS

Due to changes in the recycling markets, the Town of Smithtown will return to "Dual Stream" curbside recycling on January 1st, 2019. Please...only recycle the designated recyclables as shown on page 6 and follow the schedule shown on the enclosed calendar when placing recyclables at the curb for collection.

Please visit www.smithtownny.gov or call (631) 269-6600 or (631) 360-7514 for additional information.



Glass will no longer be collected with weekly recyclable collection! Please do not place any glass out with your recyclables. Glass may be dropped off at the following designated glass collection locations:

- Municipal Services Facility, 85 Old Northport Road, Kings Park, Tuesday through Saturday, 7:00 am to 11:45 am and 12:45 pm to 3:15 pm.
- Smithtown Town Hall, 99 Main Street, Smithtown. Drop-off container open Monday through Friday 7:00am to 5:00pm.
- Smithtown Highway Dept. 758 Smithtown Bypass, Drop-off container open Monday Nesconset. through Friday 7:00am to 5:00pm.

#### BE THE SOLUTION



#### STORMWATER POLLUTION!

When it rains, everything on the ground seeps into our drinking water or washes into street drains that lead to our streams, ponds, the Nissequogue River and Long Island Sound

Use Fertilizer Sparingly,

**Never Dump Anything** Down Storm Drains,

Vegetate Bare Spots In

Your Lawn,

Compost Yard Waste, **Direct Downspouts Away** 

From Paved Surfaces,

Always Pick Up After Pets, **Inspect And Pump Your** Septic Tank Regularly, Utilize A Rain Garden Or Rain Barrel. Use A Car Wash Instead

Of Washing It At Home, Have All Car Leaks Fixed.

TOWN OF SMITHTOWN DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND WATERWAYS www.smithtownny.gov

#### **HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE**

The 2019 Free HHW collection events are scheduled at the Smithtown Municipal Services Facility in Kings Park on Saturday, April 13th and Saturday, October 19th, 2019 rain or shine during the hours of 7 am to 3 pm. Please visit www.smithtownny.gov or call (631) 269-6600 or (631) 360-7514 for additional information.

#### **MUNICIPAL SERVICES FACILITY**

The Town's Municipal Services Facility at 85 Old Northport Road, Kings Park (just east of Old Commack Road) is open Tuesday through Saturday, from 7:00 am to 11:45 am and from 12:45 pm to 3:15 pm, to accept the following materials from Smithtown residents:

Yard Waste Construction & Demolition Debris Recyclable Plastics and Glass

Paper & Cardboard Fluorescent Light Bulbs Computers & E-waste Scrap Metal

**Batteries** Motor Oil Antifreeze

Residents may also pick up mulch (up to 10 bags per visit). Please call the Municipal Services Facility at (631) 269-6600 for further information regarding fees and services.

# E-WASTE RECYCLING PROGRAM & BATTERY RECYCLING PROGRAM

NEW YORK STATE PROHIBITS THE DISPOSAL OF CONSUMER ELECTRONICS WITH YOUR HOUSEHOLD GARBAGE! The Town of Smithtown's Municipal Services Facility (631-269-6600) accepts e-waste (televisions, radios, computers and accessories, monitors, cell phones, etc.) at no charge to residents; please call for a list. Smithtown residents may also call Smithtown Recycling (631-269-4548) for curbside pickup of TV's, computers and monitors.

The Town of Smithtown's Municipal Services Facility (631-269-6600) also accepts automotive and many household batteries for recycling. Among batteries accepted are: all types of "button" batteries (Mercuric oxide, Silver oxide, and Zinc-air), Lithium batteries, and some rechargeable batteries (Nickel-cadmium and small sealed Lead-acid batteries).

Single-use Alkaline and Carbon-zinc batteries are essentially mercury-free. These batteries can be safely disposed in your household garbage. For more information, please see the New York State DEC's Household Battery Fact Sheet at <a href="http://www.dec.ny.gov/">http://www.dec.ny.gov/</a>.

The following stores may also offer free electronics or battery recycling: Best Buy, Home Depot, Lowes, Sears Hardware, Target, Verizon and many more. Please verify with your local store or visit <a href="http://www.dec.ny.gov/">http://www.dec.ny.gov/</a> for additional information.

#### FREE LANDSCAPE MULCH

The Town of Smithtown's Municipal Services Facility (631-269-6600) produces bagged fine-screened mulch which is available free of charge to any interested individuals and landscapers. Mulch may be picked up at the Municipal Services Facility, 85 Old Northport Road, Kings Park, Tuesday through Saturday, 7:00 am to 11:45 am and 12:45 pm to 3:15 pm.

#### PROPANE TANKS / GAS CYLINDERS

Because of the danger of explosion, spent propane gas tanks should never be disposed of in trash or with recyclables. Spent tanks can be disposed of at some propane gas retailers for a nominal fee. Please call propane retailers regarding availability of this service.

# DON'T TRASH FLUORESCENT LIGHT BULBS OR MERCURY THERMOSTATS!

Fluorescent and HID light bulbs, and certain thermostats, contain mercury and should not be disposed of in the trash. Smithtown residents can drop off such items free for recycling at the Municipal Services Facility, 85 Old Northport Road, Kings Park.



Please...do NOT rake or blow leaves into the street!

#### **DISPOSE OF LATEX PAINT PROPERLY**

<u>Liquid</u> paint should never be placed curbside with household trash. To solidify paint for collection, follow these steps:

For paint cans with a small amount of liquid residue, remove the lid and allow the paint to air dry in a safe location. For fuller paint cans, mix in sawdust or cat litter to solidify the paint. When dry, double-bag the can in clear plastic and place it curbside for collection. Oil-based paints and stains should only be disposed of at Hazardous Waste Collection Events at the Municipal Services Facility (April 13th and October 19th 2019).



The Smithtown Dept. of Public Safety accepts prescription drugs for safe disposal at 65 Maple Ave. in Smithtown Monday through Friday from 8 am to 5 pm. The Dept. of Public Safety may be reached at (631) 360-7553 for more information. The Suffolk County Police Dept. accepts prescription drugs for disposal 24 hours a day, 7 days a week at the 4th Precinct, 727 Veterans Memorial Hwy. in Hauppauge. Visit <a href="https://www.dontflushyourdrugs.net">www.dontflushyourdrugs.net</a> for more info on the proper disposal of drugs.

### **Town of Smithtown** 2019 Refuse and Recyclables Collection Schedule

JANUARY								FEBRUARY							MARCH						
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	
		NO Pickup	2	3	4	5						1	2						1	2	
6	7	8	9	10	11	12	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	
20	21	22	23	24	25	26	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	
27	28	29	30	31			24	25	26	27	28			24 / 31	25	26	27	28	29	30	
APRIL								MAY							JUNE						
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	
	1	2	3	4	5	6				1	2	3	4							1	
7	8	9	10	11	12	HHW	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	
28	29	30					26	NO Pickup	28	29	30	31		23 / 30	24	25	26	27	28	29	
JULY								AUGUST							SEPTEMBER						
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	
	1	2	3	NO PICKUP	5	6					1	2	3	1	NO PICKUP	3	4	5	6	7	
7	8	9	10	11	12	13	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	
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28	29	30	31				25	26	27	28	29	30	31	29	30						
OCTOBER							NOVEMBER							DECEMBER							
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	
		1	2	3	4	5						1	2	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
6	7	8	9	10	11	12	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	
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27	28	29	30	31			24	25	26	27	NO PICKUP	29	30	29	30	31					

Monday & Thursday Refuse Collection Place at curbside the night before.

**Tuesday & Friday Refuse Collection** Place at curbside the night before.

PAPER Recyclables Collection <u>Unsoiled</u> newspaper, cardboard, magazines, copy paper.

**COMMINGLED Recyclables Collection** Plastics #1 & #2, tin & aluminum cans, milk jugs. NO GLASS, NO PLASTIC BAGS, NO STYROFOAM!

> Free Household Hazardous Waste Collection Event April 13th and October 19th, 2019. Rain or Shine! 7am - 3pm at MSF, 85 Old Northport Rd., Kings Park.

**Collection is Cancelled on These Designated Holidays** There is No Make-Up Day!

# Town of Smithtown Household Hazardous Waste Event

April 13 & October 19, 2019



Many common household products have hazardous or even toxic ingredients. If used or disposed of improperly, they can be harmful to your family and the environment.

For Proper Disposal Please Bring To The Event Any Of The Following Unwanted Materials In Their Original Containers:

Lighter Fluid Paint Remover Pool Chem

Adhesives Brake Fluid

Cleaning Solvent Pesticides
Degreasers Photo Che

Insect Spray

Pool Chemicals Wood Preservatives



**Municipal Services Facility** 85 Old Northport Road Kings Park, NY (631) 269-6600



Replacement recycling containers are available for a nominal fee by calling (631) 269-6600.

Free recycling decals are available at the Municipal Services Facility for use with a container of your choice.

Districts 1,3: Brothers 567-2332

Districts 2, 5, 6, 10, 11, 12: Garofalo 231-0999

Districts 4, 7: Quick-Way 928-4242

Districts 8, 9: Total Collection 269-6915

Glass may be dropped off at no charge at the following designated glass drop off locations only: own Hall, Municipal Services Facility and Smithtown Highway Dept. Call (631) 269-6600 for more info



### SMITHTOWN DUAL STREAM RECYCLING DO'S and DON'TS:

#### Acceptable Material for Curbside Recycling

#### PAPER RECYCLING DAY:

#### PAPERS

- Newspaper
- Copy paper
- Magazines
- Colored inserts
- · NO waxed paper
- NO metallic paper
- NO shredded paper
- NO soiled paper (i.e. tissues, paper towel, etc.)

#### CARDBOARD

- · Corrugated Flattened
- Non-Corrugated Flattened (i.e. cereal boxes, etc.)
- NO milk/juice cartons
- NO egg cartons
- NO soiled cardboard (i.e. greasy pizza boxes, etc.)

#### COMMINGLED RECYCLING DAY:

#### PLASTICS #1 & #2

- Emptied/Rinsed
- · Water/soda bottles
- Milk jugs
- Detergent bottles
- NO motor oil containers
- NO Styrofoam
- NO plastic bags

#### METAL CANS

- Emptied/Rinsed
- Tin, aluminum, and bimetallic cans
- Aerosol spray cans (empty & caps removed)
- NO cans contaminated with toxic chemicals (paint thinners, etc.)

#### NO GLASS!

#### YARD WASTE

The Smithtown Highway Department (360-7500) collects leaf bags and brush from residents in the unincorporated areas of the Town. The Highway Department picks up residential yard waste only. Please call the Highway Department if you need information regarding their collection schedule or visit the Town's web site at www.smithtownny.gov.

The Town is not permitted to collect or accept grass clippings. Grass clippings may be mulched or left on your lawn where nutrients are released back into the soil and the need for watering is reduced. Grass clippings can also be used for home composting. Please call the Smithtown Department of Environment and Waterways (360-7514) if you would like further information about home composting. Please...Do NOT rake or blow leaves into the street where they can clog storm drains!

#### **CONSTRUCTION & DEMOLITION DEBRIS**

Construction and demolition debris includes such materials as siding and roofing shingles, aluminum and vinyl siding, fiberglass insulation, decking, bricks, concrete, stone, railroad ties, treated and untreated lumber, wallboard, paneling, home furnaces, kitchen cabinets, and bathroom fixtures. Such materials cannot be disposed of with your regular trash, and are **NOT collected** by either the Town or your garbage carter. You may bring them to the Town's Municipal Services Facility at 85 Old Northport Road, Kings Park (269-6600) for a small fee or arrange for your contractor to dispose of them.





### FURNITURE, APPLIANCES, AND OTHER BULK ITEMS

Furniture, appliances, and other bulk items are NOT collected with your regular trash. To schedule a special pickup of such items, residents in Districts 1 through 10 should call either their garbage carter at the telephone number listed in this calendar (carter directory on back) or Smithtown Recycling (269-4548).

# TO DISPOSE OF FURNITURE AND OTHER BULK ITEMS

#### **CALL YOUR GARBAGE CARTER**

#### **INCLUDES:**

small electrical appliances mattresses couches lamps plate glass doors and windows box springs chairs metal folding beds large mirrors cribs tables water heaters swing sets sofa beds hutches rugs & carpets fencing wood patio furniture dressers (cut and rolled in (cut and tied in bundles shelves desks four-foot lengths) no larger than 2'x2'x4') metal bed frames

# TO DISPOSE OF LARGE HOUSEHOLD APPLIANCES

#### CALL SMITHTOWN RECYCLING 269-4548

#### **INCLUDES:**

\* televisions refrigerators

\* computers and monitors ovens
air conditioners stoves
washing machines microwave ovens
clothes dryers dishwashers
metal exercise equipment lawn mowers
metal file cabinets snow blowers

Residents of the Incorporated Villages of Nissequogue and Head-of-the-Harbor (Districts 11 and 12) must call V. Garofalo Carting at 231-0999 to schedule special pickups for ALL of the items listed above.

\* NEW YORK STATE PROHIBITS THE DISPOSAL OF CONSUMER ELECTRONICS WITH YOUR HOUSEHOLD GARBAGE. CALL SMITHTOWN RECYCLING AT 269-4548 FOR THE COLLECTION AND RECYCLING OF TELEVISIONS, COMPUTERS, AND MONITORS. ALL OTHER ELECTRONICS MAY BE DELIVERED TO THE MUNICIPAL SERVICES FACILITY LOCATED AT 85 OLD NORTHPORT ROAD IN KINGS PARK. CALL (631) 269-6600. ADDITIONALLY, MANY ELECTRONICS MANUFACTURERS AND RETAILERS TAKE BACK ELECTRONICS FOR RECYCLING AT NO CHARGE. FOR MORE INFORMATION SEE www.dec.ny.gov/chemical/82084.html.

#### TRASH CANS AND RECYCLING CONTAINERS

There is no limit to the number of containers which may be placed curbside for collection. Containers must not exceed 32 gallons in capacity and 50 pounds in weight when loaded. Refuse container lids should not be secured with bungee cords or other devices.

## **IMPORTANT RECYCLING PROGRAM CHANGES INSIDE**



- A large scale version of this map is available for inspection at the Town of Smithtown Department of Environment and Waterways, 124 West Main Street, Smithtown. Please call 360-7514 for assistance.
- 2. Residents of Districts 11 & 12 should call V.Garofalo Carting at 231-0999 for collection of furniture, appliances, and other bulk items.
- 3. Leaf bags and brush are collected by the Highway Department (360-7500) from the unincorporated areas of the Town. The Highway Department picks up <u>residential</u> yard waste only. (NO GRASS)
- **4.** Further information may be found on the Town's web site: www.smithtownny.gov

